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TO AMEMBASSY MOSCOW

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: SCUL, OEXC, UR

SUBJECT: PROPOSED FLEETWOOD MAC ARRANGEMENTS

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REF: MOSCOW 5518

1. JOHN UPSTON, ON BEHALF OF GROUP TRYING TO ORGANIZE  
CONCERT IN MOSCOW BY FLEETWOOD MAC, HAS ASKED IF EMBASSY  
WOULD QUERY GOSKONTSERT AS PROPOSED IN LETTER HE MAILED TO  
JOHN KATZKA JUNE 20.

2. IN CASE LETTER NOT YET RECEIVED, ESSENCE IS THAT  
GOSKONTSERT DEPUTY DIRECTOR YELISEEV, DURING JUNE VISIT  
TO US, TOLD UPSTON (AND MICHAEL SHAPIRO, REPRESENTING  
FLEETWOOD MAC), THAT A PERFORMANCE HAD BEEN APPROVED AND  
THAT GOSTELERADIO WOULD COOPERATE. YELISEEV REPORTEDLY  
WAS READY TO SIGN A CONTRACT ON THE SPOT, BUT WHEN EARLY  
DATES COULD NOT BE SET, HE UNDERTOOK TO SEND AN OPEN-DATE  
CONTRACT BACK TO SHAPIRO AS SOON AS HE (YELISEEV) RETURNED  
TO MOSCOW. UPSTON ASSERTS THAT YELISEEV'S POSITIVE  
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ASSURANCES WERE UNEQUIVOCAL.

3. HOWEVER, NO WORD HAS YET BEEN RECEIVED BY EITHER

UPSTON OR SHAPIRO. THEY WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY'S CON-  
TACTING YELISEEV TO ASCERTAIN HIS INTENTIONS IF POSSIBLE.

4. PLEASE ADVISE.

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